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Applicant : Taher ELGAMAL et al. Art Unit : 2135
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AND APPARATUS

NOTICE OF APPEAL

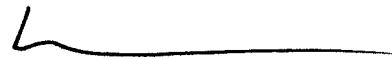
Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136, applicant hereby petitions that the period for response to the final Office action dated February 8, 2006 be extended for one month to and including June 8, 2006. The \$120 extension fee under 37 C.F.R. §1.17 is enclosed.

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences the rejected claims 31-34, 36-43 and 45-48 from the final Office action dated February 8, 2006.

A check in the amount of \$620 for the appeal fee (\$500) and the one-month extension fee (\$120) is enclosed. Please apply any other charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050.

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